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CORRECTION

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Memorial Day Traffic Delays

TRAFFIC ALERT REDDING – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) advises motorists traveling over the Pit River Bridge a.k.a. the Veterans of Foreign Wars Memorial Bridge, of potential delays during the Memorial Day weekend.

Located ten miles north of Redding, on Interstate 5, the Bridge is undergoing a complete deck replacement. Speed has been reduced to 45 mph and traffic to one lane in each direction.

Friday, May 25, 2007 northbound travelers should expect minor delays of five minutes or less; on Monday, May 28, 2007, southbound motorists will see traffic delays of five to 30 minutes between 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Please slow down through the cone zone and be alert for sign trucks warning of traffic back-ups.

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